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Victoria, September 12, 1862. mh13

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Victoria, V. I. Feb. 13, 1863. mh13

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Consumption	Head-ache	Scrofula, or King's Evil	Weakness, from what ever cause
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ALL PERSONS USING ANY OF THE Professions, Trades, or Occupations, speciall named in Section 2 of the City By-Law, passed on the 30th March, 1863, are requested to call at the Assessor's Office, Broad street, and take out a Licence in conformity therewith.

All persons liable to pay a License of one-eighth of one per cent. in accordance with Section 6 of the City By-Law, passed 3d March, 1863, are requested to make returns to the City Assessor, Broad street, on or before the fifth of April, 1863.

WILLIAM LEIGH,
City Assessor.

EXCERPT FROM CITY BY-LAW, SEC. 24.

"Every person bound to make a return under this Act, and failing so to do, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of one hundred dollars."

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Supreme Court of Civil Justice,

20th March, A. D., 1863.

In the Goods of Stephen Jones, deceased, Intestate.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY ALL CREDITORS of the said STEPHEN JONES, deceased, to come in and prove their debts before the Registrar at his office in the Court House on or before the first day of MAY next, and that in default of so doing, they will be absolutely excluded from any benefit to arise from the Estate and effects of said deceased. And all parties indebted to said Estate or in possession of monies goods, or effects belonging to the same, are requested to make it known and deliver the same to the Registrar at his office.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS,

Official Administrator of Goods of Stephen Jones, deceased. mh20 1m

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 8th August, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADvice of the Council, directs it to be notified:

That, to any person or persons who shall first discover a profitable Gold Field within the Colony of Vancouver Island, and make known and describe to the Colonial Government the site and limits of the tract of land comprised in his or their discovery, there shall be paid the sum of One Thousand Pounds sterling (£1000), provided the monies received for Licenses issued for working the said tract of land be equal to that amount; and provided always that there shall have been proved to the satisfaction of the local Government, that there has been BONA FIDE raised and produced from the said tract or field, within Six Months of the issue of the said Licenses, an amount of Gold equal in value to not less than Ten Thousand Pounds (£10,000).

By His Excellency's Command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

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[REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, SUPREME COURT]

In the Goods of Thomas Davies, deceased, Intestate;

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against said Estate, are requested to present the same for allowance to the Administrator, at his office, in the Court House, on or before the 20th day of APRIL next; in default of so doing, they will be absolutely excluded from any benefit to arise from the Estate and effects of the deceased; and any person or persons having in their charge or under their control, monies, goods, effects, or credits of the deceased, are hereby required to deliver the same to Mr. William Culverwell, Agent, whom I have fully empowered to receive the same.

THOMAS G. WILLIAMS,

Official Administrator, pro. tem. of the Goods of Thos. Davies, deceased, Intestate, late of Victoria.

Chronicle copy. Jan. 26 law 1m

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Contributions will be received by the following named ladies:

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NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP ADVERTISED about the first of January last, as SCOTT, WEBB & Co., Auctioneers and Commission Merchants, never having been completed in its arrangements, was totally annulled on the 28th day of February last so far as Matthew Rayner Webb was concerned. The Firm will be carried on as heretofore under the style or name of Daniel Scott & Co., who will pay all liabilities connected with said Firm up to date of dissolution, and to whom only all outstanding debts must be paid, the said M. R. Webb having no interest in the said Firm in any way whatever.

DANIEL SCOTT.
MATTHEW R. WEBB.

Witness, P. M. BACKUS.

31st March, 1863. apl tf

NOTICE,

MR. WALTON, OF THE FIRM OF WALTON & BARNETT, intends leaving for England by the next Steamer, and is prepared to undertake Transactions, and Commissions for parties residing in the colony. Mr. Walton has been a resident in Vancouver Island for four years, during which time he has been actively engaged in business, which experience would enable him to be of service to those who may entrust business to his care.

Unexceptional references both in London and Victoria.

N. B.—Will leave London for this colony about September next. mh23-3ptf

TO COW KEEPERS AND OTHERS.

THE GRAINS TO BE DISPOSED OF at the James Bay Brewery Apply at the Brewery behind Government Buildings.

Proprietor, A. J. WELCH.

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Notice.

Union Hook and Ladder Company.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY Meeting of the Members of this Company will be held at the Company's Truck House on MONDAY next, at 7:30 P. M.

By order,

WILLIAM HANSON,
Secretary.

apl td

$10 Reward.

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I HEREBY WARN ALL PERSONS against purchasing or in any way negotiating for any Real Estate or Property whatsoever from my husband, Edwin H. Prindle, without my consent as no separate maintenance has been allowed me by him, we still continuing to live together.

EMILY PRINDLE.

Rae street, opposite Christ Church.

March 24th, 1863. ap25

NOTICE!

I HEREBY NOTIFY ALL PERSONS that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife Emily Jane Prindle as I make her a suitable allowance for the purposes of maintenance, and give her no authority whatever to contract any debts on my account.

EDWIN H. PRINDLE,

March 23, 1863. mh30 1w

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Apply at the Hudson Bay Company's Office.

mh30 1w

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Victoria, March 28, 1863.

THE ADJOURNED MEETING OF the Company will take place at the Office of the Company on the Afternoon of THURSDAY, April 2, at 3½ o'clock, P M.

By order,

ROBERT GEORGE,
Secretary.

mh30 td

$20 Reward.

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE paid for the apprehension and conviction of the person who did on the 9th inst., maliciously shoot and wound a MARE running in the close neighborhood of Colwood House, Esquimalt District

A. PEATT.

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THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that neither Mr. Samuel Rowland nor any of the other parties employed on the Farms of Burnside or Strawberry Vale, have authority to sell, barter, exchange, or otherwise dispose of any cattle, produce, grain, or anything whatever on said Farms, or to contract debts in the name of, or receipt for monies due to the undersigned.

MATTHIAS ROWLAND,

By his Attorney in fact,

mh26 1m JOHN COPLAND.

Notice!

ALFRED R. BECKETT, OF TORONto, Canada West, is requested to call at the office of the undersigned where he will find a letter of importance.

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mh12 REINHART BROS.

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THE BUSINESS OF SIMPSON & EVERARD as Nurserymen, etc., in Victoria, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, and will in future be carried on by Mr. Simpson alone.

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L. F. EVERARD.

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The French in Mexico.

The conflicting accounts from time to time received respecting the progress of the French army in Mexico, under General Forey, are somewhat calculated to puzzle any one who has only cursorily glanced at the question. That an army which has in the Old World gained laurels unnumbered, whose feats in the Crimea and on the plains of Italy, are still so fresh in our minds, should find anything to bar its progress in such an enemy as the forces opposed to them in Mexico, would seem next to an smpossibility. Yet when it is seen that the army of the Emperor, or at least a portion of it, has been in the country now for over a year, and is still only about a hundred miles from the coast, or about two-thirds of the distance to the Capital, people are disposed to give credence to the reported defeats of the invading force. Without placing any great dependence upon these adverse rumors, considering that the sources through which they come are not of the most impartial character, we think the slow progress of the French is nothing more than the result of carrying out the instructions received from home. They do not pretend to be taking possession of the country as conquerors—in the ordinary sense of the word. They disclaim all intention of seeking to acquire any portion of the Mexican territory. They look upon the Mexican people, or the better disposed portion of them as having long been the victims of anarchy and misgovernment—as having a Government only in name. Their mission, therefore, is as much one of consolidation as of occupation. Before the object for which the French Government justify their taking possession of Mexico can be accomplished, order and good government must take the place of the confusion and anarchy which have existed since her independence of the Spanish yoke. In order, however, thoroughly to understand the question, some slight retrospect may be necessary. It will be recollected that in the latter end of the year 1861, the conduct of the party in power in Mexico towards foreign Governments, especially those of England and France, became such as to be no longer tolerated. The latter Powers, unable to obtain any satisfaction by negotiation, determined to do so by force. Spain, too, who had a long catalogue of injuries to complain of, thought the opportunity a favorable one for obtaining redress. The three Powers accordingly entered into a treaty in London for the purpose of defining the line of conduct they should follow in effecting their common object. According to the treaty the allies were to send land and marine forces sufficient to take and occupy the military positions on the coast. None of the three Powers was to acquire any territory, or seek any advantage for itself only. It was also stipulated that they should exercise upon Mexican affairs no influence to interfere with the right of that country freely to choose its own form of government. Those are the principal features of the document in question. The departure of the allied forces from the seat of operations followed. The taking possession of Vera Cruz by the Spanish fleet occurred soon after. They were soon joined by the forces of England and France. It does not appear that they expected at that time to be obliged to march into the interior, they accordingly were not provided with any great quantity of the means of land transport. They thought they would perhaps be able to effect their object by negotiation, backed as it was at the time by their forces. Pending these, they were allowed to occupy a portion of the elevated region removed from the coast in order to avoid the yellow fever—this was in February 1862. Here, at Soledad a convention was signed by the representatives of the four Governments. This was sent to Europe. England and Spain, for reasons of their own approved of it—France however was not satisfied. She did not wish to have anything to do with the United States, whom Mexico had offered as surety for the French debt. Nor did she feel justified in recognizing the party whom Juarez represented as a government to be treated with. She looked upon them merely as the faction then in the ascendant. As the London *Times* remarks—"To secure the satisfaction required it was indispensable to find a government responsible for its acts. There was no such government in Mexico, nor could any be created by the presence of European troops in the capital." England on her part, however, was not disposed to proceed any further in in the matter. Spain also acting upon the representations of General Prim, was unwilling to follow the expedition to its inevitable sequel. Accordingly, both she and England withdrew, leaving France to do as she saw fit. This placed the latter nation under the necessity of augmenting her force from about 6,000 to over 28,000. This she was obliged to do or give up the whole thing as a failure. If the expedition had any meaning at all, it must have been meant to get something more than worthless promises from the Mexican government. This could only be done by having an effective government constituted. To effect the latter purpose then is the avowed object of the present advance of the French troops. The instructions of the Emperor to General Forey, containing among other things the following passage, which will serve as an illustration of its general tenor: "The object to be attained is not to impose on the Mexicans a form of government which would be obnoxious, but to assist them in their efforts to establish, according to their own wishes, a government which may have a chance of stability, and can secure to France the settlement of the injuries of which she has to complain." The means by which this is proposed to be accomplished, will be through a Provisional Government, formed from the principal men of different shades of opinion. They will submit to the people the question of the political *regime* to be definitely established. Should the Mexicans prefer a Monarchy, France would feel bound to support her in that desire. Nor would England be averse to it. It is hardly likely, however, that any of the kind will take place. The Mexicans will in all probability continue their republican form of government, though perhaps with some modifications. Always supposing, of course, that the French will carry out their programme in good faith. Of their ability to take possession of the country, there cannot be the slightest doubt. They will not fail where the Americans succeeded. That the sensible portion of the Mexican people will act in concert with them as soon as they shall be free from the presence of the various bands of enrolled plunderers that have so long cursed that beautiful country, is quite likely. They will be glad to find a refuge from the anarchy that has so long prevailed. To secure the stability of whatever government may be formed the French will doubtless keep an army of occupation for some years. Unless something of the kind is done, their efforts to benefit the country would be only so much labor lost. To the sixty odd Chiefs who are said to have held the reins of power in Mexico during the last twenty-five years, the removal of the French troops would soon see an addition. If the French should succeed in establishing a good government in Mexico, they will merit the gratitude of the world. However much we may be disposed sometimes to ridicule their going to war for an idea, here at least successful results are desirable.

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Thursday, April 2, '63

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

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To Close Consignments,

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30 boxes Candles,
20 bales China Sugar,
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And a Variety of other Goods,

—ALSO—

BALANCE OF A

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—ALSO—

100 BARRELS FLOUR,

8 BARRELS RICE. ap1

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At Reduced Rates,

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In Quantities to Suit and of any desired Length.

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LATHS, ETC., ETC.

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Orders left at my Office, City Wharf, foot of Yates street, will receive immediate attention.

JOHN T. LITTLE.

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A GRAND OLIO

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Irish Lilt.....Masters Edward and Rodolph Orrin
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GRAND AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE
For Ladies and Children,
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Pure Spring Water

From the Springs at Belmont Lagoon.

Persons desiring to be supplied regularly at their residences or places of business, will please leave their orders at the

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ADJOINING THE ISLAND HOTEL.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having just received a large and handsome assortment of

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Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,

From the first manufacturers of America and Europe, have opened their stock at the above address.

Every description of goods in their line will be sold

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

AT LOW PRICES.

☞ Gent's Boots made to order in the best style.
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AT A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE held at the St. James, on FRIDAY Evening, March 27th, it was resolved that the further Performances of the Association be indefinitely postponed.

WALFORD A. HARRIES, Hon. Sec.

Victoria, 26th March, 1863. mh30 tf

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R. BRODRICK

Begs to inform his Customers and the public that from and after this date, he is enabled to Reduce the price of his

Best Screened No. 3 Pit

NANAIMO COAL,

AT THE FOLLOWING RATES:

$11,00 PER TON;
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75 PER SACK.

Delivered Free of Extra Charge

To any part of the City at an hour's notice.

Orders left at the Office Union Wharf, will receive prompt attention.

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Victoria, V. I. mh21 tf

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PARTIES SHIPPING

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ARE ADVISED THAT

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And they are prepared to Receive, Store, and Forward Goods. The capacity of the Building is about

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AND IS PERFECTLY ISOLATED,

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K. & G. act as Agents for parties employing them, Engaging Freight at lowest rates, and rendering prompt attention to Re-packing and Delivery of Goods.

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THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO CARRY

250,000 POUNDS PER MONTH

BETWEEN YALE AND LYTTON,

And will furnish Shippers with receipts and guarantee the Delivery of Goods at Lytton in

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At all Seasons till the Wagon Road is fully completed, when the time will be reduced to

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Shippers will Remember

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JAMES BLACK,
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BROKERS

AND

LAND AGENTS,

HAVE FOR SALE:

TOWN LOT NO. 206 on Humboldt St.;
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—ALSO—

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A MOST DESIRABLE AND VALUABLE LEASE of Ground on the best part of Store street, opposite Janion, Green & Rhodes' Warehouse. This will be found a favorable opening for Capitalists.

A House and Lease on Government St.

Lease for 21 years, with privilege of purchase of a Lot on James Bay.

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To Farmers, Teamsters, and Others!

EVANS BROS. & CO.

Have opened a

Wagon Building

And general

BLACKSMITHING ESTABLISHMENT,

At the corner of Douglas and Johnson streets.

All kinds of Carriages and Farming Implements

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Horse Shoeing

Done with special care and regard to the comfort of the animal.

Victoria, Dec. 27, 1862. ap1 1m

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The Attention

OF GROCERS

HAMS—Best English York;
SUGAR— " " Loaf;
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OATMEAL—Scotch, in kegs;
BISCUITS—A large variety of Scotch;
PRESERVED MEATS—Soups, Meats, Game and Vegetables, in 1 lb. and 2 lb. tins;
FINGER BLUE;
CHEESE—North Wiltshire, in cases;
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DO—Thornton's Irish, 18 lb. boxes;
CONFECTIONERY—A large assortment of Wotherspoon's best;
OILMEN'S STORES—Mustard, Sauces, Pickles, Pastes, Arrow Root, etc;

OF SPIRIT & WINE DEALERS

PORTER—Byass' Friend's, Hibbert's, and Tennent's;
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BRANDY—Pale, Hennessy's, Martell's, and Tribets', in cask;
DO Dark (Martell's);
DO Pale (Hemery's), (Tribat's,) (Mounier's), in case;
WHISKY—(Case). Jas. Stewart & Co's. Scotch;
DO (Cask) Campbleton, Crawford's, and Stewart's;
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PORT " " " "
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CORRUGATED IRON—For Roofing and Building purposes;
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Glue, Powder, Rope, canvas,
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That T. P. Freeman

AT THE PIONEER VARIETY STORE,

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THE PUBLIC KNOW WELL:

MINING SHOVELS;
DO PICKS;
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KNIVES AND FORKS;
TABLE AND TEASPOONS,
PLATED WARE;
TIN DO;
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AXES, HATCHETS;
GUNS, PISTOLS;
BELLS, HAND SAWS;
CROCKERYWARE;
GLASS DO;
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And a General Assortment of Hardware.

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At the above Store will be found a greater variety of Goods than can be found at any store in this city.

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☞ Horse and Cattle Sales on Saturday.
A large paddock kept for the accommodation of stock sent for sale.
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Beg to inform that they have now on hand a large and choice selection of

Paper Hangings;
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Sofas and Lounges made and repaired;
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At the shortest notice, and in the most paproved styles. mh20 1mis

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Next door to T. Harris, Esq's, Meat Depot,

A large assortment of Ladies' & Gents'

RIDING SADDLES,

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And every Article necessary in a Stable.

None but the best workmen are employed on the premises.

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Done on the shortest notice and extremely cheap.

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AT CHRIST CHURCH.

MONDAY EVENING—*The Temple Cleansed*—Rev. R. Dundas.
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THURSDAY " —*The Washing of the Disciples feet*—Rev. A. C. Garrett.
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EASTER EVE—The Sabbath Rest—Rev. E. Cridge.

AT ST. JOHN'S.

GOOD FRIDAY. { MORNING—The Saviour's Agony—Rev. R. Dundas. EVENING—The Cross borne for us and in us—Rev. C. T. Woods.

Early Morning Prayer daily at Christ Church, at 7:30, and every Evening in Passion Week at 7.

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Prepared where Eggs are Cheap

FOR USE WHERE THEY ARE DEAR!

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Have received from the Manufactory,

EX "ROBERT LOWE,"

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The Undersigned begs to give Notice

TO MERCHANTS, MINERS, etc.,

In the Cariboo Country,

That he has made arrangements to supply them regularly by every Express with the Latest Newspapers, and that the same may be had from

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H. F. HEISTERMAN,

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CHARLES FELLOWS,

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Offers for sale the undermentioned Property:

A first class Water lot on Store street, next to the corner of Johnson street.

A large and commodious House standing on a corner Lot near the centre of the town and in a rapidly improving neighbourhood. The House is well built, contains four capital Rooms, each with Chimney and English Fire-place; Kitchens, Outhouses, etc. Will be sold cheap if applied for immediately.

TWO FIRST CLASS BUILDING LOTS

(Partially fenced in), situated on a rising ground midway between the Church Reserve and Public Park. They are delightfully situated and command a fine view of Beacon Hill and the entrance to the Harbour. They are within ten minutes' walk of the centre of the town, and have a good sidewalk the entire distance. A macadamised road also runs very near.

Two capital Lots fronting on Superior street, James' Bay.

Two good Stores on Yates street, together with a very liberal lease.

An Acre Lot, Spring Ridge, and various other Property.

TO LEASE.

First Class Business Property on Government street.

A full sized Lot corner of Johnson street and Blanchard street.

A Water Lot, Constance street.

A Water Lot, James Bay.

Several fine Building Lots, James Bay, and other Property. mh30 1w

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METCHOSIN FARM,

SECTION 1.

Messrs. Franklin

HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS to dispose of this beautifully situated and

Valuable Estate!

Selected many years ago by Capt. Cooper.

This property is about nine miles distant by water from the City of Victoria and six miles from Esquimalt Town, and contains about

385 Acres of Land,

the greater part of which is

PRAIRIE!

And well adapted for cultivation, superior crops having been raised upon it.

A LIVING STREAM

Runs through it all the year round, with a

Picturesque & Never-Failing Waterfall,

which, from its proximity to Town, must in a short time prove of great value for

MANUFACTURING PURPOSES.

The Water Privilege on the Sound possesses

A Safe Harbor

And offers great facilities for the carrying on of

FISHERIES,

The planting of Oyster Beds, etc., etc.

THE IMPROVEMENTS

Consist of a Residence, large and excellent Barns, Outhouses and Fencing.

Further information and particulars may be obtained at their Office, Government street.

Victoria, 7th Feb., 1863. mh9

A CARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO INFORM the Merchants and the public in general that they are about to establish an

AUCTION

AND

Commission House

In this City, and have located temporarily at Wharf street, opposite Capt. Reid's Block.

Hoping to meet with a share of public patronage, we take the liberty of calling attention to the following list of references:

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HENRY NATHAN, Esq., Merchant.
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J. P. DAVIES & Co.

N. B. Due notice will be given of our Opening Sale. mh6

Fresh Seeds!

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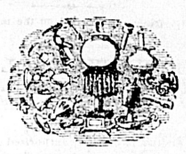

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Comax Settlement.

We have had an interview with a settler from this rising locality, who has come to town for some goods. Before he left home he states that the settlers generally had commenced putting in their crops, and a few had made considerable progress. We find there are fully fifty persons located in the settlement, and fifteen good and substantial houses have been erected, and many more in course of construction. Our informant believes the road from Nanaimo to Comax will be finished in a little more than a month hence, the contractor being somewhat delayed for want of men. The settlers are very desirous of having the road, or a branch, made right through the settlement. Our informant states that great discontent prevails among the residents about the apathy which the Government has displayed towards them in not affording mail communication with this City. For several months during the winter the people have been shut up there without receiving any letters or papers, and some of the inhabitants are so thoroughly disgusted with the treatment, that they are thinking of leaving the place altogether. The store at present in the settlement has been very badly supplied with provisions all winter, and very often the settlers have been put to serious inconvenience thereby. There are at present six yoke of oxen and one horse in the district, and one of the settlers has 13 head of fine cattle, and between 50 and 60 pigs of his own. Our informant assures us that if there were any stated communication with the settlement, by which people could get up goods and letters, and be able to come down here themselves occasionally, that there is little doubt many additional adventurers would take up land and become settlers in the district. There is no doubt whatever, if the Buto Inlet road is carried through to the mines, that land in Comax will become very valuable, situated as it is, within so short a distance of the Inlet. The Government should be in motion in reference to a regular communication with the district, and in some measure make up for their past neglect of this rising and important place.

THE ASSAULT ON BOARD THE ENTERPRISE.—With reference to the assault on Capt. Mouat, the particulars of which appeared in our columns yesterday, the *British Columbian*, in its report of the case, says: After listening patiently to the evidence, the Bench retired for a few moments for consultation, when, returning into Court, Judge Brew announced that it was the opinion of the Bench that Mr. Price committed the assault, and that Captain Mouat only acted in self-defense, and the case was accordingly dismissed. The decision of the Court was received with considerable applause. We have only to express our surprise and regret that a gentleman as intelligent and respectable as Mr. Price would seem to be, should so far forget himself as to be guilty of such conduct as was proved against him; and we can only account for it upon the assumption that he had been drinking to excess. So far as we were able to judge from the evidence adduced, Captain Mouat simply acted in the discharge of his duty as master of his steamer, and in doing so exhibited more forbearance than most captains would have done under similar provocation.

THE WATCH ROBBERY.—Milbury Day and William Smith were again brought before Mr. Pemberton yesterday morning, charged with being concerned in stealing a gold watch from Patrick Miller. One additional witness was heard, named John Jeffray, who deposed to having paid $20 to redeem the article after it had been deposited with Edward Phelps for that amount. Witness had asked Day if he might have the watch, if he paid Phelps the money. Day answered in the affirmative, saying that it had been given to him to sell. The case was ultimately remanded upon the application of Mr. Courtney, who appeared for the prosecution, for the production of other witnesses.

FALSE ALARM.—Early yesterday morning a party with a taste for practical joking thought it a proper thing to sound the alarm bell, in consideration of its being All Fools' Day. A portion of the fire department turned out, and a number of citizens were aroused from their slumbers, to find themselves the victims of a silly hoax. We are glad to be able to record that the police have taken cognizance of the affair, and that a man named Jewell, who is alleged to be the perpetrator, has been served with a summons to attend the Police Court on Saturday.

POLITICAL.—At the Court of Revision of the Roll of Qualified Voters held a few days ago by Sebright Green, Esq., at Salt Spring Island, though a number of objections to names on the list had been received, no one attended to support. No erasures consequently took place. The Court was held according to appointment, at Mr. Cusheon's farm, which is really about the most inconvenient place in the whole settlement that could have been selected.

ENCROACHMENTS ON INDIAN RESERVES.—We have been informed that a Kanaka has taken up a portion of the Indian Reserve near Esquimalt, and intends farming it, and his example will soon be followed by white men, who do not conceal their intentions of acting in a similar manner. Such conduct cannot be tolerated, and it is the duty of the Government to prevent the unlawful proceeding.

ALLEGED LARCENY.—James McCadden, *alias* "Happy Jack," a runaway seaman from the steamship Robert Lowe, was brought before the Police Magistrate yesterday morning on a charge of stealing some tools, the property of Geo. Church, from a house in course of erection. The prisoner was remanded to give time for the recovery and production of the tools.

LANCASHIRE RELIEF FUND.—In the list of subscribers to this fund handed to us for publication, the name of Chief Justice Cameron was omitted, the amount (£5) contributed by him having been included in the Bank of British Columbia subscription. We are further instructed that James Muirhead's subscription was $5 instead of the sum set down in the return, viz, $1.

WAGONS FOR FORT THOMPSON.—Five capital wagons, built by Duck & Co. of this city, for the Hudson's Bay Company, went up to New Westminster last night by the Enterprise. They are intended for use between Fort Yale and Thompson River, and will be under the charge of Mr. McKay.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Emily Harris arrived yesterday morning with 66 tons of coal, consigned to Messrs. Dickson, Campbell & Co. As the cargo is destined for the use of the mail steamships, it was discharged at Esquimalt.

DISMISSED.—The charge against William Simmons, of being a deserter from the Navy was yesterday dismissed for want of evidence. He was, however, sent back to jail to await the expiration of the term of imprisonment imposed upon him for the brutal assault upon Police-sergeant Hall.

DESERTED.—We have seldom seen our wharves so completely deserted as at present; not a single three-masted vessel is lying at any of them, and even the coasting craft are not numerously represented.

☞ The schooner Industry with 23 tons of coal, consigned to Mr. Little, arrived yesterday morning from Nanaimo.

GIVING LIQUOR TO INDIANS.—We understand that of late some white men have been in the habit of taking ardent spirits to the Indian rancherie about two miles from Esquimalt, and the result has been that the Indians, to a great extent, have been constantly laboring under the effects of intoxication. The scenes which are of almost daily occurrence at the place are of the most revolting description and reflecting the deepest disgrace on the ruffians who have been in the practice of giving the liquor to the poor unguarded wretches. It is too bad that the like of this should be allowed to go on by the authorities without some steps being taken to arrest the offenders and put a stop to the evil, which has increased to a fearful extent of late. What is the use of sending or keeping missionaries amongst the poor savages, if their labors are to be neutralised by the detestable means which unscrupulous and vile men employ to degrade the poor Indian and render him insensible to the elevating influences which the missionary brings to bear upon him. Until the traffic in spirits commenced, much good had been effected by the zeal of the missionary priest resident in the locality, and many of our citizens had an opportunity not long since of witnessing a highly interesting sight in connection with some of this tribe, who were confirmed by Bishop Demers, in the Catholic church here, but the progress which was visible then among the Indians generally, has been considerably retarded by the influences of the "fire water" which has since been unlawfully brought in amongst them. The public have a right to ask why the authorities are not more alive to the detection of Indian whisky sellers. An inquiry should be instituted into this matter.

PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.—An adjourned general meeting was held yesterday evening in Messrs Franklin's office, at which, after the admission of several new members, the following gentlemen were elected to office to serve for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Alfred Waddington; Vice President, Mr. Lumley Franklin; Hon. Secretary, Mr. Robert Humfray; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Wm. Hanson; Directors, Messrs. John Gastineau, Robert Kerr, and Alf. J. Elliott. We regard the chosing of the members as a very happy one, and feel no doubt of the success of the Society, now that the management of its affairs is confided to gentlemen who will perform it willingly their duties *con amore*, and for the purpose for which the association has been re-organised. A committee of the following gentlemen was appointed to examine the constitution and by-laws of the Society, and report those sections needing amendment: viz:—Mr. John Gastineau, C. G. St. Clair, and Alf. J. Elliott, when the meeting adjourned.

ASSAULT.—The case of Hong Chang v. Nathan Levy, on a summons for assault, was heard on remand in the Police Court yesterday morning. Mr. Courtney on this occasion appeared for the prosecution. No white witness appeared on either side, and Mr. Pemberton objected to receiving the evidence of another Chinaman. He then postponed his decision for a quarter of an hour, to give the defendant time to settle his debt with the complainant. When this matter was arranged, he said he should take into consideration the provocation offered by the Chinaman in dunning Levy for his washing bill in the street, and would only fine him $1 and the cost of the summons. The complainant was warned that he had not proceeded to collect his account in a proper manner, inasmuch as he should have gone to the defendant's house with his bill, instead of accosting him in the street.

VICTORIA THEATRE.—There will be a grand performance this evening. The Orrin family will give an entire change of their wonderful feats, and Md'lle Lameroux will appear in several new dances. The bill is a good one and there should be a large attendance.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL.—Dr. Benson's monopoly being at an end, the merchants here are enabled to purchase the coals from the company at Nanaimo much cheaper, and are determined to give the public the benefit of the reduced prices in consequence. See Mr. Little's advertisement.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise sailed last night for New Westminster, having a large freight on board and a crowd of passengers.

FROM NANAIMO.—The schooner Industry has arrived from Nanaimo with a cargo of coal for Mr. Little.

British Columbia.

The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived last evening from New Westminster. There was nothing new from the upper country. The following extracts are from the *British Columbian*:—

HOUSE-BREAKERS ABROAD.—Night before last the store of Mr. Holbrook was entered; but the parties, after an ineffectual attempt to open the safe, decamped, so far as known, without anything. Proceeding to the store of Mr. Hick, they cut a large pane of glass in the show window and abstracted a number of pies and cakes thereat. They next proceeded to the store of Henry Eickhoff & Co., which they entered, carrying off several articles. People would do well to look to the fastening of their windows and the priming of their firearms; and we think either the Chief of Police or the City Council ought to provide some sort of night watch, now that we are likely to have many doubtful characters coming amongst us who would be none the worse of watching.

THE CHILLIWHACK SETTLEMENT.—We learn that a considerable breadth of ground will be put under crop this season. Reese & Co. are preparing to seed 40 acres, and Marks & Co. are also making arrangements by which they expect to seed 30 acres and put up a large quantity of hay, for which there is always a good market at Douglas.

PRESENTATION.—The Rev. E. White is expected to leave for Nanaimo at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Thursday) by the steamer Enterprise, and we believe it is the intention of the people of New Westminster to present him with an address and a gold watch as an expression of the high estimation in which he is held as a citizen. We understand the presentation will take place in the grand saloon of the vessel immediately prior to sailing.

MINING VS. DRUGS.—Dr. Crane of this city, who has done a large business for several years, went up yesterday *en route* to Cariboo. The doctor owns one interest in the celebrated Canadian claim, out of which there is little doubt he will realize a handsome fortune. Since the 12th November last this claim has paid $15,000 to each interest over all expenses.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—A Frenchman, whose name we have not been able to ascertain, who kept the Fraser River Bakery in this city, fell upon the cooking stove in a fit on Sunday, where he lay until severely burned. He was conveyed to the Royal Columbian Hospital, but his recovery is very doubtful.

SECULAR EDUCATION.—A petition signed by the resident heads of families in this city, was forwarded to His Excellency the Governor last week, praying for a grant of £100 to assist in maintaining a school upon unsectarian principles, the parents agreeing to pay an equal amount. It affords us more than ordinary pleasure to state that a reply has been received granting the prayer, and holding out encouragement to expect a more liberal allowance after the expiration of the present year. We may state that a first class teacher of fourteen years experience, Mr McIlveen, has been engaged, and the school-house erected by the Rev. R. Jamieson, upon the Manse grounds, is occupied by the school. It is most pleasing to have to record so prompt a compliance with the expressed wish of the people on the part of His Excellency. It is understood that this arrangement is simply provisional, and that a proper colonial school system will be introduced as soon as practicable.

☞ When is a plaid dress like an apple? When it's a *tart-um*.

An Example for Vancouver Island.

SHIP-BUILDING ON PUGET SOUND.

The advantages for ship-building presented on Puget Sound have frequently been adverted to, in this and other journals. There is we may safely say, no part of the world which offers greater facilities for this branch of industry. With almost inexaustable forests of the very best of timber, a very large proportion of it accessible by water, added to a large number of saw-mills of the utmost capacity, there is no reason why we should not be able to compete successfully with the oldest ship-building communities of the world. That we shall do so at a period not very remote, none should doubt with a full knowledge of these advantages. Several of the more enterprising of our mill proprietors have already given examples of their capability in this line, by altering or building entire some of the finest vessels now afloat. As yet, however, there has been scarcely a beginning in what promises to become a leading pursuit on the Sound. We hope yet to see the keels of as fine clippers laid on the shores of Puget Sound as ever issued from the shipyards of New York or Boston.

A cheering degree of activity we learn now prevails on the Sound in the building of vessels of various kinds. The effect of this activity is said to be seen in a visible improvement of business generally, and an apparent feeling that times were growing better. A friend, who recently visited all the mills and towns on the Sound, has furnished us with the following list of steamers and sailing vessels in different stages of completion, destined soon to ply on these waters:

A new steamer in course of construction near Olympia, the owners of which are now getting her machinery together.

At Utsalady a steamer is about being built for parties from California. The machinery for this steamer is said to be now on the way from California.

Capt. Libby, of Seattle, has a trim steamer afloat at Port Madison, awaiting machinery from San Francisco. This vessel was built by Mr. Hammond, a pupil of the famous George Steers, builder of the renowned yacht America, and other fast sailers. She combines all the qualities of a swift steamer, and will be well adapted to carrying passengers and freight on the Sound.

At the same place, also, Mr. John Swan is building the steamer for which he purchased the engine of the Ranger, before mentioned in our columns. The machinery is being put in complete repair by a thorough machinist from Glasgow, Scotland.

In addition to the above steamers building on the Sound, the Puget Mill Co. are said to have contracted for the construction of a steamer in San Francisco, to be used in towing.

There is an increased activity manifested in the building of sailing vessels. At Port Madison no less than three are now on the stocks, viz: A scow schooner of a model and design similar to that of the Flying Mist, which will be completed within three months, for Capt. Clendennin; a sloop of about ten tons, for Capt. Berry, of Pierce county; also, the re-building and enlargement of the Kitsap, for Capt. Jack Hallet.

Capt. E. S. Fowler, of Port Townsend, has contracted for a schooner of seventy-five tons, to be built at Fort Discovery.

At Penn's Cove Mr. Hammond is building for the Messrs. Robinson, a fine clipper schooner of fifty tons.

Capt. Seely is said to be building a schooner near Olympia, the dimensions of which we have not learned.

A very gratifying array, certainly, for a beginning. Regarded as indicative of a revival and increase of business on the Sound, it is encouraging, truly; but as an inception of the great change about to be wrought, it is not less important than gratifying. We trust the day is not far off when orders will come from abroad for the building of ships on Puget Sound.—*Puget Sound Herald.*

How Gamblers Rob their Victims.

The Cleveland *Herald* of a recent date has the following:

The Cook gambling affair has led to some important disclosures in the doings of the "sporting fraternity," but nothing we have yet seen or heard of equals in interest a discovery made in this city concerning this affair.

Conlisk, one of the men condemned for fleecing the Paymaster Cook, was a frequent visitor to this city, and occupied rooms in the third story of the Parson's Block, on Superior street. He had contracted debts here, and yesterday an attachment was issued on the property in his rooms. Sheriff Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Whitney went to serve an attachment, and, in the course of their researches, made some rich discoveries.

The rooms occupied by Conlisk, on the third floor, consist of a sitting room, where the gambling was done, and a bed-room. The sitting-room was furnished in the usual manner, and had a faro table near the windows, and a draw-poker table in the centre of the room, with chairs placed to each. The walls and ceiling of the room are papered with paper of a star pattern.

Directly over these rooms are two small rooms, also occupied by Conlisk, but not furnished. A portion of the flooring has been removed in the room immediately over the gambling room, and a small hole bored through the ceiling of the room below, above each of the tables. As the holes come directly through the centre of a star pattern in the paper, they are scarcely distinguishable from below. Each hole is so placed as to enable a person applying his eye to it to look directly into the hand of the player seated in the chair below.

An ingenious telegraphic signal machine was discovered communicating between those holes in the room above and the chair of the gambler in the room below. A wire, having a handle near the hole, passes along between the flooring of the room above and the ceiling of the room below to the corner of the gambling room and bed-room. It enters the bed-room and passes down in the corner, being concealed by a strip of board nailed up and papered over. It then passes under the floor of the gambling room to the table, where a small piece of the flooring has been cut away close by the table leg, where the left foot of the gambler would be placed whilst playing. There it terminates in a spring and hammer, concealed by the carpet.

The method of working this invention for robbing by machinery seems to have been as follows:—The victim to be operated upon finds two chairs drawn up to the table. In one of these the gambling thief seats himself, at once placing his foot over the telegraph hammer. The victim is obliged to take the other, which is placed in the proper position for playing. The gambler's accomplice, in the room above, stretches himself on a mattrass, with his eye at the peep hole, and one hand grasping the telegraph handle. The hole is so placed that he can look distinctly down into the hand of his victim. As soon as he sees the cards he telegraphs their description according to an arranged code of signels by pulling the handle, when the hammer strikes the desired number of raps on the sole of the gambler's boot or slipper, the sound being muffled by the carpet. Of course it is easy to see that the man who sits down to play with such a gambler is robbed as surely, completely, and systematically as if he had been bound hand and foot, and delivered over to a highwayman; indeed, of the two robbers, the highwayman would be the more decent man.

HARDENING OF THE BRAIN.—Softening of the brain is not unfrequently the result of overtasking that delicate and wonderful organ. Southey, the poet, died of the disease, and it is sometimes produced by sensual excess as well as mental labor. But, according to a distinguished modern anatomist, hardening of the brain is more common than its opposite. Nothing can be more easy than to indurate the organ of thought. It can be done either by soaking the contents of a dead man's cranium in alcohol, or by the introduction of liquor into the skull of the living subject in the form of drams. In short, drunkenness sometimes hardens the brain during life as effectually as a bath of fourth proof spirits could solidify it after death. Hyrth, the celebrated physiologist, declared that he could distinguish in the dark, by the resistance it offered to the knife, the brain of a drunkard from that of a person who had lived soberly; and when he found a hardened brain in the dissecting room, was accustomed to congratulate the students in his class on obtaining a specimen so thoroughly prepared for preservation and for the purposes of demonstration.

☞ A Scotchwoman, after having inspected Gibson's painted Venus at the Exhibition, was overheard to exclaim, "Hech! that woman maun be fleezebel!"

"Woman's Rights"—Suppose Her at the Bar.

A late number of *Blackwood's Magazine* discusses the plea of the agitators for "woman's rights," that women should be freely admitted into the learned professions. Women are declared disqualified to act as doctors or ministers, and as to the profession of the law, here is what our writer says of women as lawyers:

In order that we may dispose at once of all questions regarding the admissibility of women to the legal profession, we shall at once proceed to ascertain how the spinsters would fare if permitted to practice in the courts. Under the arrangement which you contemplate, it is proposed, we understand, that young women should be called to the bar as soon as they have completed their legal studies, and undergone the necessary examination. If your project, madam, be right in the main this is a very sensible proviso, for it affords to the aspirants their only possible chance of acquiring practice. No client in his senses would permit his attorney to intrust the conduct of a cause to a vinegar-visaged virgin who counted more than fifty years before she assumed the honors of the forensic gown. It is as plain as the field of Waterloo that no jury would be seduced by the wheedling of such a pleader, nor would any judge be upset in his equilibrium by the Circean magic of her tongue. It might be different with a blooming virgin; but as an indispensable preliminary, she must get rid of that shyness, delicacy, and reserve which some sentimentalists have maintained to be the highest charm of the sex. There might be an opening for those young ladies who are not unfrequently stigmatized by envious aunts as "port hussies," and "forward baggages"—some hope there might be for "fast" women—but not even a ghost of a chance for creatures timid as the fawn, and soft-noted in their voices as is the turtle dove when it coos among the branches of the myrtle.

Have you ever reflected upon the probable consequences of turning loose some thirty or forty fascinating damsels, tricked out like Portia in the "Merchant of Venice," among a swarm of young barristers, not yet so versed in the language of the law as to have forgotten the more agreeable jargon which is spoken in the courts of Cupid? Can there be the slightest doubt that before the first fortnight was over, there would be an open and shameless gallopading in Westminster Hall and the Parliament House of Edinburgh? Then what bolting in and out of libraries and reading rooms—what infinite giggling in corridors—what skylarking in the box of the reporters! Moreover, as each Portia will of course be attended by a port Nerissa of a clerk, ample provision will be made, even within the walls of the temple of Themis, for the prosecution of the amours of Messrs. Chuckster and McCrowdy, who are severally regarded by their associates as the most irresistible young men that ever carried a brief-bag or fastened up a process with a strap! No, dear madam, absolutely it will not do! You must at once and forever dismiss your visions of the bar! The project, as we have demonstrated, is clearly *contra bonos mores*; and you, whose ideas we all know to be peculiarly strict, would surely be the last persons in the world to sanction a system which must lead to such glaring improprieties.

VALUABLE DISCOVERY.—A discovery has been made by which copper plates for printing on a type press can be made by a photographic process, or the influence of light. These plates are precisely the same in appearance as the stereotypes taken from wood-cuts, and are printed from them in the same manner. The process of making these plates is patented, and, without entering into intricate chemical details, is somewhat as follows:—The negative used is either taken photographically from the object to be represented, if an engraving or a pen-and-ink drawing, or it is drawn with a steel point upon a glass plate prepared for the purpose. These plates are perfectly white, like porcelain, and, placed upon a dark ground—say a black cloth—every line made upon them appears black. Artists work upon these plates with the same facility as with a pencil upon Bristol board. The negative being ready, it is placed in the ordinary photographic printing frame, upon what is called a matrix plate, against a glass plate covered with a thin coating, hardly to be distinguished from the glass plate itself. This matrix plate is thus exposed to daylight under the negative, and when taken out presents a beautiful brown, positive picture, upon a straw colored ground. It is then immersed in fluid, and when again taken out, forms a bold bas-relief, the reverse of a wood cut. To procure the plate itself in copper, it is only necessary to cover the matrix with a thin metallic coating, and attach it to to the positive pole of a galvanic battery, in the usual manner of making stereotypes from wax, plaster, or other moulds. As soon as the deposit is sufficiently thick, the copper plate is separated from the matrix, and backed with type metal, ready for printing. These plates, for illustration of books, for pictorial papers, copies of engravings, &c., are produced at a price from 40 to 50 per cent. below that of wood cuts. It is hardly to be estimated what a revolution this invention will produce in the business of publishing and engraving, but it is supposed by those acquainted with the subject that so far from injuring the engraving interest, it will benefit it by creating a larger demand for all kinds of pictorial illustrations wherein every available talent will be employed. The American Phototype Company are now using this interesting discovery.

FRANCE AND MEXICO.—The reports brought from Europe by the last steamer, that it was the intention of Napoleon to withdraw his army from Mexico are disregarded in diplomatic circles in the States. On the other hand, it is thought that the French army in Mexico will be largely augmented within ninety days. Official advices from Mexico, of the 25th ult. state that Gen. Foray's army, 20,000 strong, is within fifteen miles of Puebla. Preparations were made at that place for resistance, and considered complete. An attack was daily expected. The Mexicans are as determined as ever. The Juarez Government ordered the Governor of San Louis Potosi to return to the foreigners the money raised by forced loans, and give what other satisfaction the aggrieved parties may justly demand.

NEWLY DISCOVERED QUADRUPED.—A new quadruped has been discovered in Madagascar, and an agent of the French Academy of Sciences has forwarded to that body an account of it. It belongs to the genus *Indris*, and is described as having a snout like that of a King Charles lapdog, the skin of the face being bare, and of a brilliant jet-black tint. Its fur is long and woolly; its paws, or rather hands, are bare and black; the fourth finger is the longest; the thumb of the hind paws (replacing the great toe) is very thick and flattened. The whole animal measures 86 centimetres, 15 of which belong to the tail. The cry of the animal resembles that of a human being in distress, and when there are many together they form a very disagreeable concert.

A PLEA FOR MARRIAGE.—Madame Paterson Bonaparte writes to Lady Morgan as follows:

PARIS, August 11, 1817.

My desire to see my child is stronger than my taste for Paris. I really am of your opinion, the best thing a woman can do is to marry. It even appears to me that quarrels with one's husband are preferable to the *ennui* of a solitary existence. There are so many hours besides those appropriated to the world, that one does not know how to get rid of—(at least one like me has, who have no useful occupation)—that I have sometimes wished to marry from *ennui* and *ristesse*.

☞ Having bought a fine looking overcoat *cheap*, it is really mortifying (but by no means astonishing) to find that it is in a galloping consumption. Half the cloth in use is made of Shoddy, and in these days of progress, a trashy garment can be made to look quite as well, while in the store, as a good one. Before long, however, the victim of cheap clothing finds his coat becoming lighter and lighter, and the substance of the cloth accumulating in the corners and seams between the material and the lining, instead of being on his back. If you would avoid being fooled in this way, buy all your clothing of Heuston, Hastings & Co., Lick House, Montgomery street, San Francisco, for their whole stock is made of the best material. *

GOLD FOUND IN VICTORIA—STARTLING INTELLIGENCE!!—All men who are bound for the Upper country should, before starting visit a claim in this town that has been worked most successfully during the past five months. In a small space only fifteen feet by eighteen, gold has been found in such quantities as to enable the company to work it *if possible*, more successfully in future. With this company any person who might have business to transact will find an interest. Based on sound principles, and taking for its example the most extraordinary firm that has ever existed in London, whose profits never exceed a certain per centage—no matter, even if goods are bought fifty per cent. under value, the advantage being given to the customer (the head of which at his decease was found to be worth more than twenty million of dollars, and from whom one of the company now residing in Victoria has received his general knowledge of business)—on these principles, which are simply—small profits and quick returns.—Hardy Gillard & Co., Hosiers, Glovers, Outfitters and Hatters, Government street, have found gold for themselves, and hope by attention to continue to do so.— *

HOLLOWAYS OINTMENT AND PILLS.—The treatment pursued by Professor Holloway for the cure of wounds and ulcers is the most simple and certain in its effects, it has been tried by hundreds of thousands and never been known to fail; by the administration of an internal remedy (the Pills,) he drives disease out, and by the administration of an external remedy (the Ointment), he heals wounds, ulcers, and the worst of external disorders. By this celebrated treatment, also, bad legs and ulcers are cured, even when they have been upwards of twenty years standing.

PROCLAMATION,—To all persons suffering from Asthma and Difficulty of Breathing,
Consumption, Coughs, Colds and Croups,
Bronchitis, Whooping Cough,
Pleurisy, Inflammation of the Lungs,
Sore Throat, Spitting of Blood,
And all other Pulmonary Affections.
we proclaim a *never failing remedy*. Tis Jayne's Expectorant.
LANGEY BROS. and CURTIS & MOORE, Agents for Victoria.

THROAT DISEASES.—Brown's Bronchia Troches or Cough Lozenges. From Rev. E. H. Pratt, East Woodstock, Ct. "I feel grateful to you for placing in reach of the suffering so valuable a remedy. I have use the Troches three years with great benefit, not less to my general health than to my throat. I recommend them with great pleasure on every hand.
Sold by LANGLEY BROS. and CURTIS & MOORE, Victoria.

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PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ENTERED.

April 1—Slp Louisa, Thorn, Cowichan

CLEARED.

April 1—Schr Surprise, McKay, Port Angelos
Slp Eagle, Kepper, Saanich
Sch J K Thorndike, Freeman, Stekin
Slp John Dixon, Hughes, Port Angelos
Slp Louisa, Thorn, Cowichan

Dr. M. H. Boscowitz,
German Physician,
Surgeon and Obstetrician.
RESIDENCE AND OFFICE YATES STREET,
Over Curtis & Moore's Drug Store. Entrance on Langley street.
OFFICE HOURS. .....9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M.
N. B.—Is familiar with the English, French, and Spanish Languages. mh24 tf

NATHAN POINTER,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods
GOVERNMENT STREET,
in the lower story of
British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,
Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia) Just received, the latest styles of
BALTIC SHIRTS,
from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, Gents Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony
Wool Shirts and Drawers,
White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of
GENTS SILK SCARFS,
a new style of Gents Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent
White and Colored Shirts,
and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful
BYRON SHIRTS,
of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those
Baltic Stockings,
for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of
British Columbia & Puget Sound.
I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Grecian. A fine lot of
GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,
for the Fall and Winter trade.
—ALSO—
a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas high finish The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds The Crimean Blue Over shirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with doubl backs. We study to please. Business hours, from A. M to 10 P. M. mh 30 1mdaw

Ex "JULIA."
THE UNDERSIGNED ARE NOW LANDING—
GALVANISED IRON ROOFING, GUTTERING, etc.
FISHING TACKLE—Comprising large Albecore Sea Hooks, Trout and Salmon Rods, Gut, Flies, Lines, etc.
YELLOW LONDON SOAP—In 27-lb boxes.
PRIME WILTSHIRE AND CHEDDAR CHEESES—In cases of 12 each.
A large Invoice of
WOMEN'S MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS, SHOES & SLIPPERS—
Comprising—Calf Shooting Boots, elastic sides, Cashmere, Cloth, Enamel Hide, Patent Leather Dress Boots, Carpet and other Slippers, etc., etc.
RIZAT'S PALE BRANDY—In hhds and qr casks.
CENTRAL COMPANY'S BRANDY—In hhds and qr casks.
FINE RUM—In qr casks.
CEMENT—Knight, Bevan & Sturges.
(Signed) HENDERSON & BURNABY,
mh13 Wharf street.

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WELL RECOMMENDED. BUY YOUR Cigars and Tobacco on Johnson street, next the Butcher's Shop, on the corner of Government street.
Havana, Espartero Cigars, Three for 25 cents.
Regalia, Britannia, Four for 25 cents.
Londres, Seven for 25 cents.
Pressed Smoking Tobacco, 75 cents per lb.
Quarter Pound Papers, 25 cents.
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And many other articles in the Tobacconist line.
Provide yourselves before you leave the city in the above place.
LEO'D. WIESBERGER.
N. B. A discount made when sold by the Lot. ap1 1m

Aid for the Contrabands.
A FANCY BAZAAR
Will be held in Moore's Hall, Yates street,
ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY,
6th and 7th APRIL,
IN AID OF THE CONTRABANDS.
In the Evening, at 7 o'clock, an Entertainment consisting of Music and Singing will be given in aid of the same charitable object.
Mrs Wilcox, a lady of well known musical talent, will preside at the Piano, and Mr. T. P. Freeman of Victoria, will direct the Performances.
Admission.....50 cents.
On Tuesday, the 7th, at 7 o'clock, p. m., an Exhibition consisting of Recitations, Dialogues, etc., will be given, admission to which will be 50 cents ap1 1d

M. PRAG,
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Touching at Comax and Fort Rupert, if Sufficient Inducement Offers.
The fast sailing and well known Schooner
"Surprise,"
CAPTAIN McKAY, WILL SAIL for the above Ports
ON MONDAY, 6th APRIL.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
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California and Oregon
STEAMSHIP LINE,
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THE FOLLOWING STEAMERS WILL leave San Francisco during March and April:
SIERRA NEVADA....via Portland.....March 7
PACIFIC.....Direct..... " 17
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For Freight or Passage apply to
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The 1st Class and Fast Sailing Ship
"HELVETIA,"
CAPTAIN G. C. MENKE,
HAVING VERY SUPERIOR Accommodation both for Cabin and Steerage Passengers, will sail for the above port on the 27th inst.
For Passage only, apply to J. NAGLE & CO., Shipping Agents,
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J. Nagle & Co.
ARE NOW READY TO FORWARD by their Line of Packets Freight and Passengers
For the Stickeen River,
Touching at the Bute Inlet and Bentinck Arm. We have also a suitable River Steamer to take Freight and Passengers to the Town of Shaksville. For further particulars apply to
J. NAGLE & CO., Passenger Agents.
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McNICOL BROS.
HAVE OPENED
THAT NEW SHOP,
On Government street, bet. Fort & Broughton
Next door to Mr. Lowenberg, Land Agent.
As Wholesale and Retail Importers,
With one of the most complete Stocks
—IN—
Hosiery, Gloves,
Shirts, Stays,
And every description of
Smallwares and Haberdashery,
Ever offered in this Colony.
They have all been personally bought of the best Makers in
ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,
And consist of the Latest Styles, having arrived
Per "Robert Lowe."
All are invited to call and inspect the Goods, which will be offered at such prices as will defy competition.
☞ Terms, Cash, and no abatement. mh19 1m

EX "JULIA,"
"FRIGATE BIRD,"
"HELVETIA."
ETC., ETC., ETC.,
THE UNDERSIGNED
Calls the Attention of
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BUYERS
To the Following
GOODS,
WHICH HE OFFERS
FOR SALE
—AT—
Reasonable Rates,
AND IN LOTS TO SUIT
PURCHASERS:
BLACK CLOTHSACK COATS;
BLUE SERGE SACK COATS;
BLUE PILOT CLOTH PANTS;
MOLESKIN PANTS—White and Drab;
BLUE PILOT MONKEY JACKETS;
WHITE AND DRAB FELT HATS;
FANCY BALTIC SHIRTS—With and without Collars;
SCARLET SERGE SHIRTS—With Pocket.
BLUE do do do;
GREY do do do;
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FANCY BYZANTINE SHIRTS—Double Backs;
TWEED AUSTRALIAN JUMPERS—With Pocket.
WHITE & FANCY CALICO SHIRTS;
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SILK & COTTON POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS;
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COTTON, LAMBS WOOL, & MERINO Half Hose;
WOMENS' WHITE BALBRIGGAN Hose—Silk Embroidered;
COLMAN'S MUSTARD—1-lb Tins;
" STARCH—56-lb Boxes;
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LONG AND SHORT-HANDLED AMERICAN Shovels;
AN INVOICE OF SADDLERY—Well Assorted;
Do do CROCKERY—Consisting of Dinner, Tea, and Toilet Sets Foot-Baths, etc, etc.
BERRIN BARNETT,
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HAVE JUST R
A LARGE STOCK
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SPEAR & JACKSON'S
SAWS,
Scissors, Locks,
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Cash Boxes,
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Suitable for Church or Drawing Room.
Silver Plated Tea and Coffee Services
TO
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FURNISHING IRONMONGERY,
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To Miners,
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AND EVERY REQUISITE
FOR CARIBOO,
AT
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Copartnership Notice.
JULES RUEFF AND M. SPORBORG have entered into copartnership, under the firm of SPORBORG & RUEFF, and solicit the patronage of the public and their friends.
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Groceries, Provisions, Boots and Shoes,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA,
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For Sale.
SEVENTY MULES,

SUITABLE FOR EITHER PACKING, Harness or Saddle, in Lots to suit, at the five Acre Enclosure, near Mr. Thorne's residence, on the Road to the Springs.

Apply to WILLIAM JEFFREY,
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A FEW GOOD OREGON PACK and Saddle Horses for sale at low figures.

—ALSO—

A Light Spring Wagon and Span of Draught Horses.

Apply to WALTON & BARNETT, Yates street.
Or, GEORGE D. CLARK, Colonial Market.
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A MARRIED COUPLE CAN BE ACcommodated with Comfortable Apartments with or without Board, in a private family where there are no children, residing in the suburbs of Victoria, within ten minutes' walk of Yates street.
For further particulars, address C. C., Colonist Office.
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FOR SALE.
A GREAT BARGAIN.

A RESTAURANT AND BOARDING House in the heart of the city, doing a thriving Business, with all Fixtures, Furniture and Stock complete.
Books open to inspection.
Immediate application must be made to the undersigned as the Proprietors are about leaving for Cariboo.

WALFORD A. HARRIES, House and General Agent, Government street.
mh28 1w*

For Sale,

THAT HOUSE AND LOT NO. 1207 on Vancouver street, Fenced all round, with Well of Water and Garden. Price low and terms liberal.
Apply to MR. COPLAND, Langley street.
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A BARGAIN.
Farm with two Farm Houses for Sale

THE FARM IS IN THE SAANICH District and contains about sixty Acres, forty of which are beautiful Prairie of the richest black soil. It has a large Water Frontage on the Saanich Inlet, directly opposite Sayward & Co.'s Sawmill. In situation it cannot be surpassed being in the centre of the most thickly settled portion of the District. The Victoria Stage stops within a few minutes' walk.
One of the Houses is a well built and roomy Farm House, well furnished and with Brick Chimney. The other is a substantial Log House. The whole presents a rare opportunity for any intending Settler to obtain at moderate cost a really first class homestead. Title perfect and terms liberal.
For particulars, apply to E. C. WADDINGTON, Johnson street,
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TO BE LET,

A SMALL HOUSE, WELL FURNISHed, containing a Sitting Room, Two Bedrooms and a Kitchen, situated in Douglas street.
This will be found very suitable for a small family, or two or three single gentlemen.
Address G. B. A. C., Colonist Office.
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To Let,
2 Handsome Shops

NOW IN THE COURSE OF ERECTION ON THE corner of Government and Broughton streets
—ALSO—
TO LEASE, at a very low rental, 500 Acres of Land at South Saanich, about 12 miles from Victoria.
ALSO, TO BE LEASED,
Some superior Land, with a residence thereon, within two miles from the city, well adapted for market gardens, &c.
ALSO, TO BE LEASED,
Lots on North Park street, 50 by 140 feet, at $5 per month each.
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FOR SALE!
2 Brick Houses!
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HAS RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS TO submit for sale those superior Two-Story Brick Residences on Rae street, with the Lots, facing on the Church Reserve. The buildings are highly suitable for the residence of parties of respectability, and, from their healthy position, they offer great inducements either as a speculation or to parties requiring them for private residences.
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FOR SALE—FOUR SPAN OF FINE TEAM HORSES, with HARNESS and WAGGONS complete.
Also, a few PACK ANIMALS.
EDWARD R. THOMAS, Wilcox Street, near Fort.
☞To be seen in the Stables in Store Street.
mh21 1m

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TO LEASE, 180 FEET ON GOVERNMENT, between Johnson and Cormorant streets, well adapted for business purposes of every description. Also, 120 feet on Cormorant, below Government street.
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DESIRABLE INVESTMENT.

HALF AN INTEREST IN THE WELL known Black Jack Tunnel Company on Williams Creek, can be obtained on favorable terms.
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Lots 1712, 1713, 1750, 1751
FORMING AN ACRE OF LAND,

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ONE OR TWO NICELY FURNISHED Bed or Sitting Rooms may be obtained at private house in Fort Street, one door above Douglas. Terms moderate.
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BRICKS! BRICKS!! BRICKS!!!

15,000 **BRICKS FOR SALE CHEAP**
Apply to W. ZELNER, Druggist.
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JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO., WHARF STREET.
Victoria, 6th January, 1863. mh21

Exchange Tables

FOR CONVERTING STERLING INTO Currency, and Currency into Sterling, at the Government rate of £1—$4,85, are now ready and can be obtained at HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S STORE, Yates street. Price 10 cents.
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ROUTES TO CARIBOO.

HURRAH
For Cariboo!!

DOUGLAS
AND
LILLOOET ROUTE

IS BY FAR THE

Shortest and Best

BOTH FOR

MEN AND ANIMALS

TO THE

CARIBOO MINES,

As will be seen at once by the following TABLE of DISTANCES, which have been CHAINED by Government, NOT GUESSED AT, as on the Lytton Mule Trail.

FROM DOUGLAS TO HANCOCK'S	4 Miles.
Thence to Perry's	6 "
" Hensley's	1 "
" Chapais'	3 "
" Gowan's	2 "
" Stein's (Hot Springs)	4 "
" Joice's	4 "
" Williams'	4 "
" Pemberton, over the Lillooet Lakes now connected by Steamers—Fare, $1	20 "
" Half-Way House	12 "
" Anderson Lake	12 "
From Anderson and Seaton Lakes to Port Seaton—Fare, $1 on each Lake	34 "
Thence to Lillooet Flat	3¼ "
Whole Distance from Douglas to Lillooet by Land over a Good Wagon Road	55¼ "

☞ Remember that Lillooet is 45 Miles above Lytton.☜

On the Lillooet Lake

Goulding's New and Splendid Steamer

"Prince of Wales"

100 TONS BURTHEN,

Will Make Two Trips per Day,

And is capable of taking on board

The Heaviest Wagons

OR

AN ENTIRE MULE TRAIN!

On Seaton Lake

Taylor & Co. are just Completing a

A SIDE-WHEEL STEAMER, THE

Prince Alfred

110 FEET IN LENGTH,

Capable of Transporting 200 tons of Freight per Day.

ABOVE LILLOOET, the Distances are as follows:

From Lillooet to Fountain	8 Miles.
" Fountain to Pavillion	13 "
" Pavillion to Cut Off Valley	14 "
" Cut Off to Clinton	12 "
Total	47 Miles.

Making the Distance from Lillooet to the Junction of the

LILLOOET-ALEXANDRIA WAGON ROAD

WITH THE

LYTTON CITY MULE TRAIL

Only 47 Miles,

While the same point is 92 miles from Lytton, and only 20 miles of the Lytton-Alexandria Wagon Road are Finished in any one place!

From Clinton to Alexandria

Wright's Wagon Road

Will be Completed by the 1st of June,

WHEN A

Regular Line of Stages

WILL RUN

FROM DOUGLAS TO ALEXANDRIA

Connecting there with the New Steamer "ENTERPRISE," which will make

DAILY TRIPS

From thence to Quesnelle River,

Landing Freight and Passengers within

50 Miles of Lightning and Van Winkle Creeks!

☞ We call upon travellers who have Wagons or Animals, especially to

Avoid the Lytton Route!

As the Wagon Road is Unfinished, and will not be passable before the 1st of August.

☞ Do not be deceived by the representations of interested parties who will give you all sorts of false information regarding the Lytton Route, and the various distances, which have never yet been measured.

As a Proof of the Existence of

Good Hotels on the Wagon Road!

Above Lillooet, we give the following list of Houses and their distances from Lillooet:

	MILES.
Lorenzo's	8
Frenchman's	18
Reynolds'	20
Maitley's	22
McBeath's	28
Harkell's	29
Reynolds'	36
Watson's	47
Saul & Co's	60
Calbraith's	70
McMurphy's	74
Walters & Co's	87
Bridge Creek	100
Durgan's	106
Cochrane's	112
Anderson's	116
Felker's	128
Mrs. Jones	146
Davidson's	151
Deep Creek	161
Dunleavy's	184
Alexandria	200

One Hundred Wagons

WILL BE EMPLOYED IN

Transporting Goods on this Route.

By the new arrangements made this year on the Douglas Route,

Passengers Leaving Douglas by Stage

WILL

Reach Lillooet the next Morning.

FROM LILLOOET TO ALEXANDRIA

Will only occupy Four Days,

THENCE ON TO MOUTH OF QUESNELLE THROUGH TO VAN WINKLE.

Then by all means take the Douglas and Lillooet Route as the Cheapest, Quickest, Safest, most Commodious, and above all, the most High-Toned and

ELEGANT ROUTE TO CARIBOO.

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Every Person Should Know

THAT THE

Shortest, Best and Cheapest

ROUTE

TO THE

CARIBOO MINES

IS VIA THE

YALE AND LYTTON

WAGON ROAD!

The chained distances on the Yale and Lytton Road are as follows:

From Yale to Boston Bar	25 Miles
" Boston Bar to Lytton	32½ "
" Lytton to McLean's	47½ "
" McLean's to the Junction of the Wagon Roads	19 "
Distance from Yale to Junction.	124 Miles

COMPARE THE ABOVE

With the following distances set down by Lillooet Shippers:

From Douglas to Lillooet	110 Miles
" Lillooet to Junction	47 "
Distance from Douglas to Junction	157 Miles

The Junction

Is the point at which the Wagon Roads intersect each other, and where the Cariboo-bound traveller by the Yale-Lytton and Douglas-Lillooet routes MUST meet. It will, therefore, be seen by the above figures that the traveller by YALE and LYTTON has

THIRTY-THREE MILES LESS TRAVEL

Than if he went by the Douglas-Lillooet Route

☞**Remember that on this Route there are NO PORTAGES where Goods or Animals may be detained.**

Messrs. DUHIG, LANE, BLACK, and other Carriers of Merchandise, advertise to

Carry Freight from Yale to Lytton

$20 Per Ton Less

Than is or will be charged on the Douglas-Lillooet Route.

THE NEW AND SPLENDID STEAMER

"Reliance"

Connects with the Victoria Steamer

"Enterprise"

And conveys her Freight and Passengers to Yale at greatly reduced Rates.

Shippers

Desirous of getting Freight through to Cariboo this season are advised to

Shun the Douglas-Lillooet Route!!

☞ And are also referred to the testimony adduced in the CRANFORD CASE, wherein witnesses have stated upon oath that 15, 20, or even 30 Days is a reasonable time to convey Freight from Douglas to Lillooet.

Five Days only are Required

To carry Goods from Yale to Lytton, and

Shippers are Assured

That if Freight is carried from Douglas to Lillooet for Two Cents per lb.,

CARRIERS ARE PREPARED TO

FREIGHT FROM YALE TO LYTTON

With Safety and Despatch, for

One Cent Per Lb.!

All those who allow themselves to be crammed by Douglasites this year need expect no sympathy from the public if they get broke in trying to get goods through that route.
☞ Remember the Cranford affair, and steer clear of extortion and delays.
Travel the Yale and Lytton Wagon Road to the Cariboo Mines.
☞ New and Commodious Hotels have been erected at convenient distances along the entire length of the Route, where First Class Accommodations for both man and beast are bestowed at moderate rates.
☞ FOR CHEAPNESS, DESPATCH, EASE and SECURITY choose the Yale and Lytton Route in preference to all others in British Columbia.
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New Westminster, March 13, 1863. mh24

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Also, the
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GENTLEMEN,—YOU WILL SHORTLY BE called upon to exercise the most sacred rights of Britons, in selecting men of your own free will to manage your own local affairs, scrutinize and correct the course of Government, and adjust and impose taxation. While I feel that I have no especial claims to public support, I do claim, in common with my fellow citizens, that I have embarked my capital, brought my family, and expended some portion of my past energies here; and that in a new country like this I have a right to aspire to a position in the mangement of its public affairs. I do not seek any office of emolument—I have never done so, nor is such my aim now. I am content to earn my living independent of Crown patronage; but the honor of representing my fellow citizens is a distinction which any man might be proud of, and I aspire to that. I hold the equal rights of all men to be of the first importance in all cases of legislation, and know no distinction of creed, color, or country. Every colonist who has settled in this Colony as his future home, is entitled to equal privileges with his neighbor, and for such principles I will always contend.
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I am fully alive to the advantages we possess, and it is my anxious desire to forward our interests, particularly railroad and harbor enterprises; to watch and guard against corruption and misgovernment; to see that equal rights and cheap administration are preserved; that law costs and lawyers are looked after, without permitting to them exclusive privileges or business monopolies; that the merchant, tradesman, mechanic and artizan is protected and supported; land granted free, or at nominal rates to actual settlers, with a view to encourage that important interest; speculators and land jobbers checked and frustrated, and that the all-pervading rule of Government officials, dabbling in mines, town sites and public lands, may be abolished.
There are many other public questions of great importance upon which I will speak hereafter, as they cannot be referred to within the limits of this address, but if you see fit to honor me with your confidence and support, you may rely that for neither inducements of office or patronage, no printing or other jobs will pass without exposure. And should it not be your pleasure to elect me, I will support cheerfully whomsoever you think fit to elect, so long as they follow a line of policy similar to that I have here laid down.
I have the honor to be Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
EDWARD BEATTY EARLES.
Victoria, 6 March, 1863. mh6

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Families Accommodated in Best Style. mh24

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BOARD AND LODGING, per week	$8,00
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BOARD AND LODGING, per day	1 50
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SINGLE MEALS	50

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Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills: ere many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

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These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

"*From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd, 1860.*
BENJAMIN COX, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Ennis, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. Cox, became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

Gout and Rheumatism.

The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which has, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement about the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this depravity in the blood, which is rapidly purified by the use of the Pills. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates system through the pores, acts in unison with Pills, and soon effects a cure.

Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation though the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface. Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be exaggerated, act directly upon the blood, the absorbents and secretions, with a power that no dropsy however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify it likewise,—they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious,—they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly.

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, and Old Ulcers.

This invaluable Ointment was never known to fail in the cure of any wound, any sore, or any ulcer,—as can be proved by innumerable testimonials from persons who had been discharged from Hospitals as incurable, and yet by perseverance they have been made as sound as they were the day they were born, by this incomparable Ointment. For pimples, blotches, scald heads, and scorbutic humours, it is equally efficacious.

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Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	Chapped Hands	Glandular Swellings	Scurvy
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Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand-Flies	Cancers	Piles	Tumours
Coco-bay	Contracted and Stiff Joints	Rheumatism	Ulcers
Scalds	Elephantiasis		Wounds
			Yaws
			Sore Nipple

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JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

Thirty years of experience has demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt, that JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT excels every other remedy for the cure of
ASTHMA,
BRONCHITIS,
CONSUMPTION,
COUGHS AND COLDS,
CROUP AND WHOOPING COUGH,
SPITTING OF BLOOD,
AND ALL PULMONARY COMPLAINTS.

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For more than a dozen years I have recommended Dr. D. JAYNE'S FAMILY MEDICINES, and especially the EXPECTORANT. I know that these medicines are highly esteemed and frequently prescribed by some of the most respectable of the regular practitioners of medicine; and I do not hesitate to commend them as a valuable addition to our *materia medica*, and a safe as well as eminently beneficial remedy for the diseased.

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